



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Certificate
OCT 22 2002
of Correction

In re U.S. Patent No.: 6,447,027 B1
Inventor(s): Lilley et al.
Serial No. 09/659,172
Examiner: Lynne H. Browne
Issued: September 10, 2002
Group Art Unit: 3679
Title: QUICK CONNECT HYDRANT NOZZLE FOR
CONNECTING A FIRE HOSE TO A FIRE HYDRANT
Attorney Docket No.: 19362-085599

REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION PURSUANT TO
37 C.F.R. 1.322

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Certificate of Correction for U.S. Patent No. 6,447,027 B1 issued September 10, 2002. Upon reviewing the issued patent, the patentee noted that the following typographical errors were made, which should be corrected as follows:

1. Column 1, line 26, delete "mating" and insert -- matingly -- therefor;
2. Column 1, line 28, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;
3. Column 2, line 24, insert -- is -- after "FIG. 1";
4. Column 2, line 34, insert -- a -- after "FIG. 4 is";
5. Column 2, line 62, delete "mating engaging" and insert -- matingly engage -- therefor;
6. Column 2, line 65, delete "completely" and insert -- completing -- therefor;

10/18/2002 KZEWDIE1 00000003 6447027

01 FC:1811

100.00 OP

1

OCT 22 2002

3190518v1
19362/085599



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL
(37 C.F.R. 1.8)

I hereby certify that on 10/10, 2002 this paper and/or fee (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

Andrea Y. Downing
Andrea Y. Downing

Attorney Docket No. 19362-085599

7. Column 3, line 21, delete "otherwords" and insert -- other words -- therefor;
8. Column 3, line 43, delete "alloy" and insert -- alloy. -- therefor;
9. Column 4, line 27, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;
10. Column 4, line 59, insert -- an -- after "include";
11. Column 5, line 6, delete "assist in releases" and insert -- assists in releasing -- therefor; and
12. Column 11, line 60, insert -- 10 -- after "claim".

In view of the fact that the errors for which a Certificate of Correction is sought were made by the Patentee, a fee of \$100 is being transmitted herewith (35 U.S.C. §1.323).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-1759. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARK HILL PLC



Robin W. Asher, (Reg. No. 41,590)
500 Woodward Avenue, Suite 3500
Detroit, MI 48226-3435
(313) 965-8665
Attorney for Patentee

Date 10/4/02

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,447,027 B1
DATED : September 10, 2002
INVENTOR(S) : Lilley et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1, line 26, delete "mating" and insert -- matingly -- therefor;

Column 1, line 28, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;

Column 2, line 24, insert -- is -- after "FIG. 1";

Column 2, line 34, insert -- a -- after "FIG. 4 is";

Column 2, line 62, delete "mating engaging" and insert -- matingly engage -- therefor;

Column 2, line 65, delete "completely" and insert -- completing -- therefor;

Column 3, line 21, delete "otherwords" and insert -- other words -- therefor;

Column 3, line 43, delete "alloy" and insert -- alloy. -- therefor;

Column 4, line 27, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;

Column 4, line 59, insert -- an -- after "include";

Column 5, line 6, delete "assist in releases" and insert -- assists in releasing -- therefor; and

Column ⁶~~1~~, line 60, insert -- 10 -- after "claim".

MAILING ADDRESS OF SENDER:

Robin W. Asher, (Reg. No. 41,590)
Clark Hill PLC
500 Woodward Avenue
Suite 3500
Detroit, MI 48226-3435
(313) 965-8665

PATENT NO. 6,447,027 B1

7. Column 3, line 21, delete "otherwords" and insert -- other words -- therefor;
8. Column 3, line 43, delete "alloy" and insert -- alloy. -- therefor;
9. Column 4, line 27, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;
10. Column 4, line 59, insert -- an -- after "include";
11. Column 5, line 6, delete "assist in releases" and insert -- assists in releasing -- therefor; and
12. Column 11, line 60, insert -- 10 -- after "claim".

In view of the fact that the errors for which a Certificate of Correction is sought were made by the Patentee, a fee of \$100 is being transmitted herewith (35 U.S.C. §1.323).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-1759. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARK HILL PLC



Date 10/4/62

Robin W. Asher, (Reg. No. 41,590)
500 Woodward Avenue, Suite 3500
Detroit, MI 48226-3435
(313) 965-8665
Attorney for Patentee

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,447,027 B1
DATED : September 10, 2002
INVENTOR(S) : Lilley et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1, line 26, delete "mating" and insert -- matingly -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 1, line 28, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 2, line 24, insert -- is -- after "FIG. 1"; ~~A~~

Column 2, line 34, insert -- a -- after "FIG. 4 is"; ~~A~~

Column 2, line 62, delete "mating engaging" and insert -- matingly engage -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 2, line 65, delete "completely" and insert -- completing -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 3, line 21, delete "otherwords" and insert -- other words -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 3, line 43, delete "alloy" and insert -- alloy. -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 4, line 27, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor; ~~A~~

Column 4, line 59, insert -- an -- after "include"; ~~A~~

Column 5, line 6, delete "assist in releases" and insert -- assists in releasing -- therefor; and ~~A~~

Column ⁶~~11~~, line 60, insert -- 10 -- after "claim". ~~C~~

MAILING ADDRESS OF SENDER:

Robin W. Asher, (Reg. No. 41,590)
Clark Hill PLC
500 Woodward Avenue
Suite 3500
Detroit, MI 48226-3435
(313) 965-8665

PATENT NO. 6,447,027 B1

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,447,027 B1
DATED : September 10, 2002
INVENTOR(S) : Lilley et al.

Page 1 of 1

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1,

Line 26, delete "mating" and insert -- matingly -- therefor;

Line 28, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;

Column 2,

Line 24, insert -- is -- after "FIG. 1";

Line 34, insert -- a -- after "FIG. 4 is";

Line 62, delete "mating engaging" and insert -- matingly engage -- therefor;

Line 65, delete "completely" and insert -- completing -- therefor;

Column 3,

Line 21, delete "otherwords" and insert -- other words -- therefor;

Line 43, delete "alloy" and insert -- alloy. -- therefor;

Column 4,

Line 27, delete "a" and insert -- an -- therefor;

Line 59, insert -- an -- after "include";

Column 5,

Line 6, delete "assist in releases" and insert -- assists in releasing -- therefor; and

Column 6,

Line 60, insert -- 10 -- after "claim".

Signed and Sealed this

Third Day of June, 2003

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James E. Rogan", with a horizontal line drawn underneath it.

JAMES E. ROGAN
Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office